

Interview Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)	
	10/733,760	CALHOON ET AL.	
	Examiner	Art Unit	
	Samuel Berhanu	2838	

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Samuel Berhanu.

(3) _____.

(2) Karl Easthom.

(4) Elizabeth A. Almeter.

Date of Interview: 18 October 2006.

Type: a) Telephonic b) Video Conference
c) Personal [copy given to: 1) applicant 2) applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) Yes e) No.
If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 8 and 16.

Identification of prior art discussed: Garcia et. al.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) was reached. g) was not reached. h) N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: The applicant's representative and the examiner discussed possible changes to the claims to over come the prior art of record, for example applicant may incorporate in the new claims "--a polling operation can be energized and de-energized in a regular periodic fashion --" as disclosed in paragraph 45 of the specification. The new claims made by the applicants will be considered when the examiner proceeds with the prosecution..

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN A NON-EXTENDABLE PERIOD OF THE LONGER OF ONE MONTH OR THIRTY DAYS FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WHICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.

KARL EASTHOM
SUPERVISORY PATENT EXAMINER

Examiner Note: You must sign this form unless it is an Attachment to a signed Office action.

Examiner's signature, if required